

National Clearinghouse on Child Abuse and Neglect Information **National Adoption Information Clearinghouse**



Gateways to Information: Protecting Children and Strengthening Families

Child Fatalities

The following organizations are among many that provide information on child fatalities. Inclusion on this list is for information purposes and does not constitute an endorsement by the Clearinghouse or the Children's Bureau.

American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children (APSAC)

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The American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children addresses all facets of the professional response to child maltreatment: prevention, assessment, intervention, and treatment. APSAC membership reflects all of the major disciplines which respond to child maltreatment, including mental health, medicine, child protective services, and law enforcement. APSAC publications and training cover all aspects of child maltreatment, including emotional and other types of neglect and physical and sexual abuse.

The Child Abuse Prevention Network, originally launched as an outreach effort of the Family Life Development Center at Cornell

Child Abuse Prevention Network

Email: tom@child-abuse.com

URL: http://child-abuse.com/capn.shtml

University, is sponsored by LifeNET, Inc. Through the World Wide Web, the Network provides professionals with online tools and support for the identification, investigation, treatment, adjudication, and prevention of child abuse and neglect.

International Society for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect (ISPCAN)

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The International Society for Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect, founded in 1977, is the only multidisciplinary international organization that brings together a global cross-section of committed professionals to work towards the prevention and treatment of child abuse, neglect and exploitation. ISPCAN's mission is to prevent cruelty to children in every nation, in every form: physical abuse, sexual abuse, neglect, street children, child fatalities, child prostitution, children of war, emotional abuse, and child labor. ISPCAN is committed to increasing public awareness of all forms of violence against children, developing activities to prevent such violence, and promoting the rights of children in all regions of the world.



Child Fatalities Resource Listing

National Center on Child Fatality Review (NCFR)

ICAN/NCFR 4024 North Durfee Avenue El Monte, CA, 91732 Phone: (626) 455-4585 Fax: (626) 444-4581

URL: http://www.ican-ncfr.org

National Clearinghouse on Child Abuse and Neglect Information

330 C Street SW Washington, DC, 20447 Phone: (703) 385-7565 Fax: (703) 385-3206 Toll-Free: (800) FYI-3366

Email: nccanch@calib.com

URL: http://www.calib.com/nccanch

National Sudden Infant Death Syndrome Resource Center (NSRC)

2070 Chain Bridge Road Suite 450 Vienna, VA, 22182 Phone: (703) 821-8955

Fax: (703) 821-2098 Toll-Free: (866) 866-7437 Email: sids@circlesolutions.com URL: http://www.sidscenter.org/

Shaken Baby Syndrome Prevention Plus (SBS Prevention Plus)

649 Main Street Suite B

Groveport, OH, 43125 Phone: (614) 836-8360 Fax: (614) 836-8359 Toll-Free: (800) 858-5222 Email: sbspp@aol.com

URL: http://www.sbsplus.com

The mission of the National Center on Child Fatality Review is to develop and promote a nationwide system of Child Fatality Review Teams to improve the health and well-being of children and reduce preventable child fatalities. The Center coordinates and disseminates information about teams and projects, addressing child death, and child death review. NCFR also provides training and technical assistance to local, State, regional, and national projects and teams that address child abuse fatalities and provides data models for systems management. The Center's major focus is improving child safety through the promotion of effective risk assessment, accountability, and the sharing of information on severe and fatal child abuse and neglect.

The National Clearinghouse on Child Abuse and Neglect Information, a service of the Children's Bureau, helps professionals locate information on child abuse and neglect and related child welfare issues. Among its resources, the Clearinghouse offers a bibliographic database of child maltreatment and related child welfare materials, summaries of State laws concerned with child abuse and neglect and child welfare, fact sheets, resource lists, bulletins, and other publications. Jointly with the National Adoption Information Clearinghouse (NAIC), the National Clearinghouse on Child Abuse and Neglect Information publishes the Children's Bureau Express, an online digest of news and resources for professionals concerned with child maltreatment, child welfare, and adoption.

The National Sudden Infant Death Syndrome Resource Center provides information services and technical assistance on sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS) and related topics. The Center's goal is to promote understanding of SIDS and provide comfort, through information sharing, to those affected by SIDS. NSRC assists State Maternal and Child Health Bureau (MCHB)-supported projects, State SIDS programs funded through the MCH Block Grant, policy makers, program planners, parents, family members, the general public, researchers, educators, medical and legal professionals, care providers, and counselors.

Shaken Baby Syndrome Prevention Plus develops, studies, and distributes informational materials which discourage Shaken Baby Syndrome and other physical child abuse and promote positive parenting and child care.

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